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THREE ORIGINAL FULAH PIECES

IN ARABIC LETTERS, IN LATIN TRANSCRIPTION AND IN ENGLISH TRANSLATION

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The arabic text of the origin of a great war that took place of late in the Fulah country is a copy from a Manuscript that was brought in the year 1857 to the Colony of Sierra Leone and bought by Muhammed Sāli a Fulah schoolmaster and interpreter.

The history of the origin and extension of the N. Western empire of the Fulahs is an oral tradition of Ibrahim, a man of property and much influence in Timbo, who visited the Colony of S. Leone late in the year 1857; it was penned on a slate by the above mentioned Muh. Sāli and afterwards copied by myself.

The poetic piece is a copy of a Fulah interpreter Tālibe-Sīse from an original text that was brought to the Colony early in the dry season of 1858. The owner refused to sell the original as it formed part of a paternal heritage. —

The latin transcriptions have been made exactly after the pronunciation as the ear would receive it and totally independent from the arabic version.

Every letter in the Roman transcriptions is pronounced as in German or Italian, except the following signs, which have a peculiar pronunciation according to the Standard Alphabet adopted by the Church Missionary Society.

ʾ corresponding to ع of the original, is pronounced softer than the arabic letter.

ḥ corresponding to ح of the original, is pronounced like the simple *h*.

χ like german *ch* in *Buch*.

ṅ - german and english *ng*.

ǵ - english *j*.

y - english *y* in *year*.

ṭ - arabic ط.

ḍ - „ ض.

ē - french *ê* in *fête*.

e the same short.

ē - french *é* in *pré*.

e the same short.

ō - english *oa* in *broad*.

o the same short.

ō - english *o* in *no*.

o the same short.

ã - french *an* in *plan*.

õ - *on* in *mon*.

I.

هاذا ابيات شيخنا جرط سعد دلن

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١ جَنْكى يُمْسِمّ طَلِيسُلِدَلْ
٢ كُنْ سِلِنَ فِنْدِمْعْ عِدَوَلْ
٣ كَلَ مَيْطْ مُعَنْدَا فِنْدُمْعْ
٤ حِمّ لُةَّ إِبِيطِ مُيِدّ يُجَلْ
٥ مُنْسِلِنِ فِنْدِ عُهُوِ دِوَلْ
٦ جُلَتَا سَكَ يَلْتَ دُعُنْ كُبُرَلْ
٧ مُنْسِلِّلَنَ بِنْدِ عُوَا سِدِوَلْ
٨ يَلْتَىْ عِجَهَنَّمَ بَاوُ جُلَلْ
٩ رِوِتِيطْ إِكُوكَ عَلَا كُوَنَا
١٠ أَلَّهُ صِبْرُطْ صِبَاجِ كَمَلْ
١١ عُنْوِالتُّدُ لِيْدِ أُيِنْجَ:عِنْ
١٢ عُنْ بَنْتُطْ كَمُّ وُنَا تُكَلَلْ
١٣ عُسِنِيمَ عِنَقَّسِيبِيجِ دِبُوْ
١٤ كُعُجُنْ قُودَلْ عُجَبَا بَاسَلْ
١٥ كُعُجُنْكُنْ رِوْ بَاسَلْ كُعَدِى

١٦ كُعُجُنْ حِدَّادِ عِلُو تُدِرَلْ
١٧ كُعُكُوطْ إِجَاطِ صِبَا كُوكَلْ
١٨ كُعُوُرْدُطْ كُرْدَنْ طَنْرِعَتَا
١٩ كُعُنَنْرُطْ نَنْدِ قَعَفِيَةِ كَطَلْ
٢٠ كُعُيِيرُطْ قِيطِ كُوُدَا بُوْ
٢١ كُعُهَلْ دُطْ حَالَ وُنَا طِنْقَلْ
٢٢ عُوُنَا جُنْحَرُفْ وُنَا جُنصُوتْ
وُنَا جُنْعَرْدَلْ مَاسَكِتَلْ
٢٣ عُسِنِيمَ إِنَقَّسِيبِيجِ دِبُوْ
٢٤ نُعُلَاتُو بَنْدُ دُنَكَّ كِبَلْ
٢٥ وَنُمَيْرُ عِوِىَّ إِوُنْدِ عَرَلْ
٣١ كُونِى دَرْتَادِ إِجَاطِ صِقا كُوكَلْ
٢٧ كُونِى لِمْتِنْدِ عِجَاتِ مُعْ
٢٨ كُونِى تَقُّقُلْ قُتَقَّا
قُونِى طَلْقُلْ قُطَلَا

وَتَمِيزْ زِنَا سَكَنُن بَدُطَا سَكَنُنْ هُوَّا وَتَبَوْتْ حَلَلْ
وَتَدَرْ جَنِنْكِ قَدَاغْمِتَقُلْ وَتَتَلْدْ عِمَكُّ جَهَلْ عِتَوَلْ
لُقُلْ فَرْجِيذِ جِنُوبِ وُنِي بِيْدِلْ بِتِيذِ عِيمْبِ جُمَلْ
هِطِلُونْتَ وَبِلّ طَوَّجُوا بُرْطِ بِتُوبِ طِلْتَّ عِكِيذِ جِعَلْ
وَتَفَقِّتْ حُيْدِ عِهِدّ عِيبِتِ دُسَهُودْ كِنذَنْ جَوْدِ نِفَلْ
وَتَوُنْ قِطْ اَلدُّنْيَا سِوُنَا قَطْ عَلَّ وُنَا سَبُطُنْ دُجُتُلْ
كَلَقُوبِ كُقِقُلْ اَلدُّنْيَا وُنِ لَصْلِ مُعُنْ دَجَتَا يَوْتَلْ
عُنْيِطَّدْ حَاءِ عُجُولِ عُهُورِ عُزَكِّ عُحَجِّ عُدُنْ دَوَلْ عُسُمَنْ
هَطِعَنْدُنْ اَلّ نُسَاتِيعُنْ يَاوُيْدِ تُمْبُتْرُ يَلْقُدَرَلْ
هَوْرَ مُجِّ عِبُنْطِ نُمَنْدِ كِدِى سِذِسْتِى مُجِّ كُيِمْبِّ مَلَلْ
سِذِسْتِى بُنْطِ كُيِمْبِّ ثُمَلْ كُنَافِقِتُنْ دُوهِ، تُتُمَلْ
هَوْرَفَتُّ نُلَنْدُوْا نِيمُعُنْ حُلِ مَيْدِ إِبَاوُ عَدَابِ لَجَلْ
وَتَتُونِتْ يَنْكِنْ تِدِّنِطَى وَتَلَاتْ عَيَنْظُ يِطَنْ مُّسِدَلْ
شَيْطَانِ هُطَامَ قَتُونِتَقُلْ قَيَنَادِ هَطِى قَابِيلَ مَلَلْ
وَتَفِرْتْ كُعَهُدِرَا وَتَفِنْ وَتَجَنْفُّ سِونْتَا نَافِقِ طَلْ
مَوْطُنْ يِرْمِيدِ عِجْلِدِ يُونْ عِنْلَاطُمِعَنْ سَكِتُرْطُ نُلَلْ

وَتَفَنْتَنْ وُسْبَنْ سُرْكِنَقُلْ وَتُسِمُّ تَهْنُدُكْ مَا تُكِنَلْ
نُدَقِي كَلَطِعِ كُعَدِى ٱلْفَجْرِ سِسِمِّبِكْ لُرَّلْ وُبُّكِطَلْ
سَبُ قِسَّ عَلِيُّ عِلَقَّانِيُّ فَدِّيمَ عِمَكِّ مُطَبِّ كِسَلْ
لَقَّانِيُّ حَرْمِنِ دَقْنِ عَلِيُّ حُطِرَى عُنْ وُنْطُ عِبِيرِ وُمَلْ
وُمِ دَقْنُطُعُنْ حَرْمِنْطُ وُمَالِ عُتُوبِ عُيِيبِ عُذِمْنِ كَطَلْ
نَغْصُرْ لَابَلْ كَلَقُوبِ مِجِى حَقِّى عِفَرِّصَّ كُبَاوُ نُمَلْ
خَجَّنْ ٱللَّهَ سِشَرْطِ قَسِى وَتُورُ مَدِينَ ذَهَلْ عِقَرَلْ
رِجُورَ مُحَمَّدُ صَلَّى ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ تُوطُ جُهَلْ
تُرْهُودِ كُيِدطًا فُوْ عَدَجَنْ كُعُبُوطُ بُرَلْ سَكِتُرْطُ نُلَلْ
كُعُبُرْطُ تَقِيفُ قُدُوْ عِقْلِنْ كُعُيِدطُّ يِطَاطُ بِطَاطُ بُرَلْ
رِوْ سُنَّ مُحَمَّدُ سِلْ بِدْعَ كُنُقُلْ كُوقَلْ سِعَفَالَ مَلَلْ
وَتَشِيدُ عِمُجُّبِ بُبَّبِلِسِلْ طَلْمَجُّبِ جِمْتِنْ جُنْعَنْدَلْ
وَتَتُوجُ بِلِوْ وَتَوَلُّ عِتُوجِ سِمَلْكِسطَى طُتَوِيدِ لَزَلْ
وَتَوُنْ عِمِسَلْ بُنْ بُوتُ جَبِى وَتُونْ مَبْدَلْدِ رَوَادُ دُتَلْ
بُنْ سُقَّنْ بُوتُ رِعَنْ كُتَوَا يَبِ جَوْلُرَ سِنْبِ جِلُو مَبْدَلْ
بَرِرَدَّ دُورْتَ نُوِيِّى دُتَلْ قَيْقَلْبِى جِيبِ نُيِلْمَنِقَلْ
قَتَرَارِ عِتُوجِ نُيِمْنِتِرِى جُبَّنْطِ جُوعِطِطِ جُلْدِ نَبَلْ

وَتَمِيزْ زِنَا سَكَنُن بَدُطَا سَكَنُنْ هُوَّا وَتَبَوْتْ حَلَلْ
وَتَدَرْ جَنِنْنِكِ قَدَاغْمِتَقُلْ وَتَتَلْدْ عِمَكُّ جَهَلْ عِتَوَلْ
لُقُّلْ فَرْجِيذِ جِنُوبِ وُنِي بِيْدِلْ بِتِّيذِ عِيْمْبِ جُمَلْ
هِطِلُونْتَ وَبِلّ طُوَّجُوا بُرْطِ بِنُوبِ طِلْتَّ عِكِيذِ جِعَلْ
وَتَفَقِّتْ حُيْدِ عِهِدّ عِيِيتِ نُسَهُودُ كِنذَنْ جَوْدِ نِفَلْ
وَتَوُنْ قِطْ اَلدُّنْيَا سِوُنَا قَطْ عَلَّ وُنَا سَبُطُنْ نُجُتُلْ
كَلَقُوبِ كُفِقُّلْ اَلدُّنْيَا وُنِ لَصْلِ مُعُنْ نَجَتَا يَوُتَلْ
عُنْيِطَّدْ حَاءِ عُجُولِ عُهُورِ عُرَكِّ عُحَجِّ عُدُنْ دَوَلْ عُسُمَى
هَطِعَنْدُنْ اَلّ نُسَاتِيعِنْ يَاوُيْدِ تُمُبْتُرْ يَلْقُدَرَلْ
هَوْرَ مُجِّ عِبُنْطِ نُمَنْدِ كِدِى سِذِسْتِى مُجِّ كُيِمْبِّ مَلَلْ
سِذِسْتِى بُنْطِ كُيِمْبِّ ثُمَلْ كُنَافِقِتُنْ دُومِ تُثُمَلْ
هَوْرَفَتُّ نُلَنْدُوْا نِبِنِمُعُنْ حُلِ مَيْدِ إِبَاوُ عَدَادِ لَجَلْ
وَتَتُونِتْ يَنْكِنْ تِدِّنِطَى وَتَلَاتْ عَيَنْطُ يِطَنْ مُّسِدَلْ
شَيْطَانِ هُطَامَ قَتُونِتَقُلْ قَيَنَادِ هَطِى قَابِيلَ مَلَلْ
وَتَفِرْتْ كُعَهُدِرَا وَتَفِنْ وَتَجَنْفُّ سِونْتَا نَافِقِ طَلْ
مَوْطُنْ يِرْمِيدِ عِجْلِدِ يُونْ عِنْلَاطُمِعِنْ سَكِنْرُطْ نُلَلْ

وَتَفَنْتَنْ وُسْبَنْ سُرْكِنَقُلْ وَتُسِمُّ تَهُنْدُكْ مَا تُكِنَلْ
نُدَقِي كَلَطِعِ كُعَدِي ٱلْفَجْرِ سِسِمْبِكْ لُرَّلْ وُتُكِطَلْ
سَبُ قِصَّ عَلِيُّ عِلَقَّانِيُّ فَدِّيمَ عِمَكِّ مُطَبِّ كِسَلْ
لَقَّانِيُّ حَرِمِنِ دَقْنِ عَلِيُّ حُطِرَى عُنْ وُنْطُ عِبِيرِ وُمَلْ
وُمِ دَقْنُطُعُنْ حَرِمْنُطُ وُمَالِ عُتُوبِ عُيِيبِ عُذِمِّنِ كَطَلْ
نَغْضُرْ لَابَلْ كَلَقُوبِ مِجِي حَقِّي عِفِرِّضْ كُبَاوُ نُمَلْ
خَجِّنْ ٱللَّهَ سِشَرْطِ قَسِي وَتُورُ مَدِينَ ذَهَلْ عِقَرَلْ
رِجُورَ مُحَمَّدُ صَلَّى ٱللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ تُوطُ جُهَلْ
تُرْهُودِ كُيِدطًا فُوْ عَدَجَنْ كُعُهُوطُ بُرَلْ سَكِنُرْطُ نُلَلْ
كُعُبُرْطُ تَقِيفُ قُدُوْ عِقْلِنْ كُعِيدطُ بِطَاطُ بِنَاطُ بُرَلْ
رِوْ سُنَّ مُحَمَّدُ سِلْ بِدْعَ كُنُقُلْ كُوقَلْ سِعَفَالَ مَلَلْ
وَتَشِيدُ عِمُجَّبِ بُبَّبِلِسِلْ طَلْمَجَّبِ جِمْتِنْ جُنْعَنْدَلْ
وَتَتُوجُ بِلُوْ وَتَوَلُّ عِتُوجِ سِمَلْكِسطَى طُتَوِيدِ لَزَلْ
وَتَوُنْ عِمِسَلْ بُنْ بُوتُ جَبِي وَتُونْ مَبْدَلْدِ رَوَادُ دُتَلْ
بُنْ سُقَّنْ بُوتُ رِعَنْ كُتَوَا يَبِ جَوْلُرَ سِنْبِ جِلُو مَبْدَلْ
بَرِدَّ دُورْتَ نُوبِّي دُتَلْ قَيُقَلْبِي جِيبِ نُيِلْمَنِقَلْ
قَتَرَارِ عِتُوجِ نُيِمْنِتِرِي جُبَنْطِ جُوعِطِطِ جُلْدِ نَبَلْ

وَتَبْشِيرْ عَجْلَدْ جَمَا عَجُمَ هَذَا وُنَدْ عَصْرِكْ بِيدُ مُجَلْ
وَتَبْلُدِنْ بَيْتَ اَللَّهِ حُدَى بَيْتَ الشَّيْطَانِ قَيِدْ بُتَى
قُلِ هِيقِ عَطْنَكْ فَجُلْدْ جَمَى بُرِ جَمْدْ بُنَى يَرَ تَلْدَ دَوَلْ
وَتَعَلَّبِرْ عَرْسِكْ فَنْ جَمَا وَتَوُبُدَوَلْ طَبَّادِ فَنَلْ
وَتَذِكْ كَبَلْ كَلَطُنْ كُبَلْ وَتَذِكْ فَتَلْ كَلَطُنْ كُفَتَلْ
هِيوِى دِ كَبَلْ وُنِكَدْ فَتَلْ هِيوِى دِ فَتَلْ وُنِكَدْ كَبَلْ
هِبِقَلْ قَطِ الْاَخِرَ طُنْكْ فَتَلْ فَتِقَلْ هِبِ الْاَخِرَ طُنْكْ كَبَلْ
وَتُونْ كَطُزَكْ فَرِضْ مِلُوْ سِعَفَالْ كِسَلْ وَتَطُوْ عَسَكَلْ
تَلَطُوطُطِ هَنِد نُسُنِ بِيمُ تُبِيبِ جَهَنَّمَ كَدِ جُمَلْ
سِكُمُومِ طِدَمْبَمْتُنْ طِجُرُوا طِوُلُوا سَكِتُلْ طِرُتُوا قَرَنَلْ
اَللَّهُ نُرْنِتِنِ جُلْدِ عِزَكْ مُشْرِدِرِى هَبِرِيمُ كُرَلْ
سِعَرِى رَمَضَانَ تَجِرُدْ دَوَلْ وَتَبِدِرْ عَلَّ عِمَيْرُ تِرَلْ
حِدُصْنَ نُنُوبُ نُسَمِّنَ فُوْا شَيطَانُ نُذَبَّا حَا تُتَجَلْ
سِلْ جُورِ عَبَدِ عَجَمْدِ حَرَمْ سِوُنَالِ كُعَيِّنِمَا وَتَجَلْ
وَتِنُرْ تُعَرَنْدِ نُحُورَى فُوْا بَقِ بَلْقُ دَرَلْ حَا جِمَّ دَرَلْ
طُنْ يُمَّ دُفُوْا سِوُنَا جُنْ تَيْرُدْ فَنْتُ نُجُكْ عَدَادِ قَسَلْ
سِعَرِى اَلْفَجْرِ عِمَعَ وَتَجَمْ وَتَبَرْ وَتَمِيمُ عَدَادِ مُتَلْ

قُمْلِنْ اَللَّهُ مَلَايِكَةٍ عِنْلَابِ عِدْفْتِ عِيَلْقُ دَرَلْ
عِوِيلِ قَبْرُ عِلِيْتِمُعُنْ عِنَكِيرِ عِمُنكَرِ جُنْ لَّنْدَلْ
حُلِ جُومَ عِاَنَّبِمَا عِدَلِلْ حُلِ دِينَ عِقِبْلَ وِعَا عِكِذَلْ
اَللَّهُ مُحَمَّدُ قُرِءَانَا اَلْاِسْلَامُ اَلْكَعْبَةِ قَدُّ بِبَلْ
بِرُقَى كُبِوِيبِ جِبِيمَ مَلَلْ كُبِ يَجْبِ قَبْرُ بِرَوْنِنَ تَلْ
يَا رَبِّ مِنْزِكَمَ نِوْنَمْنْ جَابَادِ تُقَبْرُ قَفِيتِ كُلُلْ
سِعَلَاتِ مُعَنْدَا فِمْبِمُعْ كُوَقَيْنَ عُشْغِلْزُوا عِدمَلْ
عُوِعَيْبِ عُعَنْدَا فُوْ عُوِعِى وَتَعَنْدُ بِبِيرَمُ جَنْدِ بُلَلْ
كَلَ يِمْبَّ عِجِنَّ سِوَللَّدِرِى بِنْبُلْدِ بِدِلِّنْتَادِ جُبَلْ
بِتِّى اَلْقَبْرُ عِمَكُ وَبِلِى جَهِ بُلِّ عِمَكُ وَبِلِى دُجُتَلْ
عُهُمِى طُنْ هَادِ تَقِيفُ دَرِى وِرْلِيمُ تُبِيبِتِ عُلْتِرَقَلْ
يَا جُومَنْ جِيطُ تَقِيفُ مُعْ دَنْدِرْ كَلَ جُلْطُ طُمَاطَ بُرَلْ
وَتَبِشِيرُ عِلَابَلْ حَا أَبَدَا كَلَوَقْتُ سِهِيوِى جُلْدُ جُبَلْ
اَلْفَجْرِ سِفِيرِى جُلْ صُبَحَ جُلْ صَلِّفَنَا سِعَرِيمَ جَوَلْ
جُلْ عَصْرِ سِنَاقِ عِقِيطِ فُتِى يَذُّرْ فُتُرُوا جُلْ بَاوُ مُتَلْ
جُلْ قِيذِ سِتَوْدِ مُتِى شَفَقِ نَافِيلَ عِوِتْرِمُعُنْ وَتَطَلْ
كَلَ طَلْطُطِ هَاعُ عُوِى عُسْمَىٰ هَاعِ وُنْدُ عُدُكِّدِرِينُ دِوَلْ

وَنَمَيْرُ عوبِي عـوْنْـد عَـرَضْ دَرْتِيطْ عِذَاتِ عِذْنْتَبِتَـلْ
عِذِحَادِ عُوْنْدِمْ جُنْ نِحَفُوْا دُوْ لِيْ نَنْ جَامُ بُطَلْ عِمْتَلْ
مَاوُنْد زَمَانْ نُـمْـبْـتَـمَـا نُكُّورِ وَ عَالَمَ جُنْ بُطَّلْ
كُونِي لِمْتِنْد عِذَاتِ مُـعْ عِصِفَانِ عِكُودِ عِذُكُّدِرَلْ
وَنُوَطُّدِرَلْ جُذْعُوجِ عِـذَاتِ عِـهُـوْدِ عِـبَـوْدِ وَ وَلُّـدِرَلْ
مَـاوُودِد ذَاتِ وَوُنُّكِعِنْ عِصِفَانِ عِكُوطِ عِصِيرُدِرَلْ
رِيوَنْ جُنْ عَالَمَ رُنْكِرِ فُوْا كُونِي تَقُقُلْ مُوِيَالِ تَـقَـلْ
رِوْ مَدِّرِفُـوْا عِكُنَنْدِ عِطُنْ وَنُقِدِّ عِقُقْرِ وَ وِلُّسِدَقُـلْ
رِوْ مَيْد عِمَكُّ عِفَاطُد وَوُمْد عِمُومُ صِفُرْدِ مُطُنِ كَلَ طَلْ
تَقُقُلْ كُنَقَـا طَلُقُلْ كُتَلَىٰ دَقُرِي وَ مُحَالَ عِعَيِّنَـقُـلْ
وَجِبِنْ عِنُلَابِ بِفُوْا قُـمْطَلْ حُولَارِ كُنِي يُتِّنْد نُـلَـلْ
كُمْحَالِ عِمَبِّ فِنَادِ عِذَنْفَ عِسُوطُـد بِنـدَاقَـلْ يَـمِـرَلْ
دَقْنَنْبِ عَرَضْ بَنْدِنْكِ كَلَـهْ كُونَا كُنُرِيوَ عِمَبِّ كَمَلْ
دَقْنَنْبِ وَ بِيبِيد سُودِد زَوْد عِذَمْد عِبَرْدِ عِمْد حَلَـلْ
عِوَ نُيْقُلْ يِجِّتُقُـلْ كُـوَنَـا كُبِنُلْدَاطُنْ عَدِتَادِ كَطَلْ
رِيوَنْبِ وَ جِنَّ جِزَمْ عِبَـرَضْ بَجُ بُندَا مُّومُ عِفِكُّرِنَـلْ
يَعْقُوبَ وُمَـالِ كُجُـدِّ فَـلِي أَيُّوبَ وَطَالَ وَطَـالِ نِـفَـلْ

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جَنْقِى يُمْسِبّ طَلِى سُلِدَلْ كُنْسِلِّنَ فِمْدُمْعُنْ عِـدِوَلْ
كَلَمْيُطْ مُعَنْدَا فِمْدِمْـعُـنْ هِمُ لُتّ عِيبِيتِ مُيِدّ يُحِلْ
سِمْـسِلِّنِ فِمْد عُوّاسِ دِوَلْ يَلْتَىْ عِجَهَنَّمَ بَـاوُ جُـلَـلْ
سِمْسِلِّنِ فِـمْـدِ عُحُـوِّ دِوَلْ جُلَتَا سَكَ يَلْتَ نُعْمْ كُبُرَلْ
5 ١ رِوتِيطْ عِقُوقَ عَلَىٰ كُـوَنَـا اَللَّهُ صِفُرْطْ صِفَاذِ كَـمَـلْ
عُنْ وِنْطْ لِيْدِ عُيَدِّنِـعِـنْ عُنْبَنْتُطْ كَمّ رُنَا تُقَلَـلْ
عُسِنِيمَ عِنَقَّصِيِـذِنِـفُـوْا كُعُدُنْ قُودَلْ عُجَبَى بَـاسَلْ
كُعُدُنْ قِنْ رِوْ بَاسَلْ كُعَدِى كُعُدُنْ جِدَّادِ عِلُوتُـدِرَلْ
كُعُدُنْ دَرْتَادِ عِذَاتِ مُعُـنْ كُعُقُوتُ عِذَاتِ صِفَا كُوقَلْ
10 كُعْ وَوْرُطْ بَوْطْ عُمُوِيرِ مُيْـد عُعَنْدِرِ عَنْدَلْمَـكّ قِـنَـلْ
كُعْ وُرْدُطْ قُرْدَنْ طَنْ رِّعَتَى كُعْ نَنْرُطْ نَنطِ قَفِيتِ كَطَلْ
كُعْ يِيرُطْ قِيطِ كُوِدَا فُوْا كُعْ هَلْدُطْ حَالَ وُنَا طِنْقَلْ
قَوَقَى جُنْ حَرْفُ وُنَا جُنْ صُوْتُ وُنَا جُنْ عَرْدَلْ مَا سَكِتَلْ
كُمُحَالِ عِوُنْطُعِنْ بَـاسَلْ كُونِى بُطَّلْ كُونِى كُوبَلْ
15 كُونِى بِرُدِرْدِ عِعَالَمَ فُـوْا نُعْ لَاتُوا بَنَدُ دُنَقِّ قِـبَـلْ

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Rewetędo, ę gǫŋga, Allāh, kowónā
Allāhu, sifórto, sifági, kamál.
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o bántudo, kāmu, wóna, togalal,
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koˀo gonŋgǫtal, o gaba, bāsal,
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koˀo gon hetāde, ę lū,dóndiral,
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koˀo gǫto, ę gāti, sifā, kūgal,
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kowánį, bútal, kowánį, kūbal,
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fádigal, hébbi ilāχira, dúṅko ké,bal,
Wǫda won, ganyo, ǵǫ̨ka, farissa, melę̄ú
si ʒāfāla, kisál, wǫdá dow, ʒásakál.
Kalla doudodi, hande, mo su,niro, yę̄mo,
to yīte, ǵahánnama, káddi, ǵumál,
Si ko mūmi, didámba, motoṅ, dítyurǭ
denō-wulǫ, sákitól, doruto, gáranal,

Allāhu, no réntini, ǵúlde, e ǵaka
Mo seṛndíndiri, habiṛẽmo, kúrral,
Si arị, Ramasāna, tatyírndo, dewál,
wọda yédir, Alla, e mairu, terál.
Hindu sunna, ǵunūbu, ndu sámina, fou
Saitāne nodúmba, hā, dotaǵál.
Selnyõre, ebáti, e nyámde, ñarám,
si wonāli, ko ayínema, wọda ñál.
Walinór to, aráńde, no ñõra, fõu
baki nyálgu, darál, hā ǵéma, darál.
Nduṅ yõma, ndu fou, si wóna, ǵoṅtáirudi,
fando, no ǵõka, ʒadāde, gasál.
Si ari, alfáǵri, e máʒa, wọda nyám.
wọda yar, wọda mẽmu, ʒadāde, mutál.
Wọda fántiṅ, wúsbaṅ, súrkinagol,
wọda simmo, to hónduko, mā to kinál.
No dágị, kalla diʒi, ko adị, alfáǵri
si síme, ko lúrral, wóbuki, dál.
Sabu kísa, ʒAlīyu, e Laganīu,
fadima, emáki, modábi, kisál.
Laganīu, ñármini, dágni, ʒAlīyu,
hodira, oṅ wondo, e mẽre, womál.
Wómi, dagnóduʒuṅ, ñarmíndo, womāli
utūbi, oyīti, oyímni, kamál.
Nafsor, lābal, kalla gõbi, meḵé,
ñáke, e farissa, ko bāwo, ǵumál.
Haǵaṅ, Allāha, sisárdi, kasí,
wọda wõru, Madīna, ǵahal e, garál.
Rẽu ǵūra, Muḥámmadu, sal Allāhu
ʒalaihi, wasállama, taudo ǵóhal.
Torohõnde, ko yītą fou, ʒadányẹ,
koʒo hẽudo, burral, sakitórdo, nulal,

Koʔo burdo, tagẹfou, ko dou, ẹ ko lẹ̄i koʔo yído, yidādo, yidādo búral.

Rẹ̄u súnna, Muħámmadu, sel bedeʔá, kóngol kūgal, si ʔafāla, malál.

Wọda sẹ̄du, ẹ móttube, bombe, lẹsél dál mágube, nyémdiṅ, ǵoṅ ʔándal.

Wọda tọ̄nyu, melẹ̄u, wọda wálu, ẹ tọ̄nye, si málkisedạ, to tawẹ̄de, laǵál.

Wọda woṅ, ẹ misal, bónno būto, nyábbi wọda woṅ, mabdálde, rawāndu, tutál.

Bónno sóṅgai, būto rẹ̄ʔai, ko táwạ, nyábbu ǵaulora, sẹmbe, ǵilọ̄, mabdal.

Báre ráta, duwúrta, no wẹ̄ya, túlal kāigal,yī ǵībe, no yilmani ṅ,gal.

Fa tarāre, ẹ tọ̄nye, no yomnítirẹ, ǵapánde, ǵoẹ̄didi, ǵúlde, ǵábal.

Wọda mīǵo, ǵīna, saga nom, bádotạ sága noṅ, hūwā, wọda, yaudu, ħalál.

Wọda dar, ǵananíṅke, ka dáχmi,dagol wọda teldu, ẹmáko, ǵahál, ẹ tawál.

Luṅgol farǵẹ̄ǵi, dyinọ̄be, wónẹ bẹ̄dal letẹ̄di, ẹ yímbe, ǵumál.

Hidi wónta, wa pẹlle, diwáṅǵo, bórde, be tūba, di lūta, ẹ kẹ̄ǵi yiʔál.

Wọda fágito, hoinde, ẹ hídi, ẹ yīte ndu sahwúndu, kíntyaṅ, yaudi, nifál.

Wọda woṅ gído, adúnyạ, si wónạ gányo Allāh, wonạ, sabudō, doǵatal,

Kalla gọ̄bi, ko gigol, adúnyạ woni láslimuʔun, daǵatạ, yaudal.

Oyédudo, ħāʔe o ǵūli, o họ̄ri, o haǵi o ǵáki, o dúmni, dewál, o sumại.

Hádi ʾandon, Allāh, no sāte,eṅ,
nyā woide, to móbturu, nyálgu daral,
Haura, motti, e bondi, no mándi, kade
si ǵísti, motti, ko yimbe, malál.
Si ǵísti bóndi, ko yimbe, ǵumál,
ko nāfigi, tuṅ dúmi, to ǵúmal.
Haura fátu, no lándo, nēnemuʾun 95
ɓólle maite, e bāwo, ʾadāde, láǵal.
Woda tōnido, yáṅkino, tédinedā
woda lādo, ʾanyándo, yīta, músidal.
Sāitāne, hodāma, ká, tonítagol,
gayanādi, háddi, kabīla, malál.
Woda firtu, ko ʾahadúndira, woda feṅ
woda ǵáṅfo, si wónda, nāfigi dál,
Mauduṅ, yurmēde, e ǵúlde, yo woṅ
e nulādo,meʾeṅ, sakitōrdo, núlal.

OF GOD ALONE.

Read oh mankind! forsake this vain world; 1
Strengthen your faith with prayer. —

Every deceased, who knows not his God, 2
is left to the fire; let him speak out, who can deny. —

He, who professes faith and forgets prayer; 3
may come out of hell after he went there. —

He, wo professes faith and offers prayer; 4
shall not go tho hell; far from it, this is the best. —

No worship of any God, but of the true God; 5
of Him, who is perfect in rule and command. —

He laid out the earth and widened it for us; 6
he set up the heavens without support. —

He is elevated above every loss; 7
he is the life himself, he will never die. —

He is the everliving God from the beginning; 8
the end flees before him, existence has none equal. —

As to His own self he stands alone; 9
as to his words and works He remains unattained. —

His mere will suffices to do what He likes; 10
Through the excellence of His knowledge, he knows
every thing. —

11 He lives a life without end;
he hears as with ears and what can hinder him. —
12 His eyes behold every thing that is made;
he speaks out and yet he wants no tongue. —
13 He can do without writing, nor does he want words.
A front He possesses not nor a back either. —
14 Never will our maker take an end;
eternal as his beginning is, so is His end. —
15 There must be a similarity between Him and the whole creation;
He must be a body that requires a shape. —
16 Wonderful as is the lightening on high;
yet has He like that a place, where He stands. —
17 His presence is every where in heaven and on earth;
to the right hand and to the left, from the rising of the sun till to the going down thereof. —
18 Whatever time there was, He will bring it back;
both earth and its creation from the beginning. —
19 As is the counting up of His qualities,
one after the other by words and deeds;
20 so is the summary of each of His parts,
a fullness of powers united. —
21 Where is there any body like Him who made us;
in words and deeds so distinguished?
22 Remember the Lord of creation helpless man;
things that are and those that are not, are his doing. —
23 Remember him ye infidels and all ye who are like them;
all ye sleepy, slothful, who forget Him. —
24 Remember Him ye dead, ye deaf and blind and dumb;
to Him tell all your cares, leave all the rest to Him. —

As creation is, thus He created it; 25
and nothing exists what He has left undone. —
The things that are allowed and those, that are forbidden, all of them are we sold.

OF THE PROPHETS TILL TO THE LAST DAY.

Also all the Prophets must be believed; 26
the faith is the message, they have to proclaim. —
Lie and falschood is not of their part; 27
so as to hide any thing that God has said. —
A man may take himself to any work; 28
but not to that, which is forbidden, that is the law. —
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Sleep and forget they may; but not — 30
the Revelations made of old, that is the right. —
If thus they live, they may not be touched, from 31
crazyness, leprosy and swelling;
Nor from blindness dumbness and life's untimely decay. —
Jacób was not blind, his eyes did not fail; 32
Job never did an unholy thing, no never. —
Believe in God and the angels all; 33
the prophets the books and the last day. —
In the straithness of the grave, and the horrors 34
there of; in Nakiri
and Munkari with the eventful inquest. —

35 „*Who is thy God and thy prophet, what is it with*
„*thee?* — .
„*What is thy religion, how doest thou turn in prayer?*
36 „Say: *Towards sunrise.* — *Allah, Muhammad, Guorāna!*
„*The faith of the Kaʾaba; God knows my word is true.*“ —
37 They turn to him saying; thou shalt have mercy;
they widen the grave for him, they make it light. —
38 Oh God make it, I beg thee, easy for us;
to answer at the grave, — for awful it is. —
39 If there be one, who knows not his faith;
and has his heart set upon worldly goods. —
40 And he begins to tell them, he knows none of these
things; he will be told:
„You shan't know now.“ they strike him with the iron club.
41 And could every people and spirit help — together,
— they would not be able to move that club for
one span. —
42 Make strait, the grave for him, put the scorpion
and the snake with him,
Make him a fire brand. —
43 There is he tied till all Creation stands to judge-
ment; throw him to the fire. — He is left there. —
44 O God who is the keeper of every creature
Save every goodly man, with the mercy that is thine. —
45 From purity of heart never part for ever;
every time, when the hour comes, do pray. —
46 At the break of day — early pray. —
Pray at 2o'clock after noon when the time comes to
thee, —
47 Pray 4 o'clock at evening time when both sun and
eyes do meet; be ready quick when the sun has set,
pray after sunset. —

Pray still later, when the evening's light is gone, 48
pray at nightly hours, pray without ceasing. —

Every one, who leaves this undone, after being 49
buried, he must burn; — would to God, that long
ago he had put himself to prayer. —

Do not forget to pray with the congregation in the 50
day of prayer; if you are in grief try to bear affliction. —

Do not forsake the house of God, to sit down in 51
the Devils house, to enjoy good living. —

To bear heat, hunger and thirst for the sake of 52
conjoint prayer, is better than to eat and drink to
fatness and to kneel single for prayer.

Do not let the seeking after worldly gain keep you 53
back from the house of prayer; Do not leave off prayer
or else you get into distress. —

Do not desire to have every thing, that can be had; 54
Nor care for poverty either, however you maybe poor.

Many, who now do possess, one day they will have 55
nothing; and many, who do not have any thing; one
day they will have some thing. —

To have to loose the next world, this certainly must 56
be loss; but to forego this present and to gain the next
world, this certainly will be gain. —

Do not be opposed to the giving of tax; if jou will 57
be saved, do not withhold the tax.

Every one that refuses to give, — he will have to 58
burn in the hollish fire, a great firebrand will he be. —

If it be cattle that took up the cares of his heart, 59
into the fire shall they push him with horns, —

and when the last of it has passed;
the first will forthwith return to the task. —

60 The faith, which God demands, must be united with works; and him who parts these two, will they fight with the sword. —

61 When the Ramazan has come, keep the fast with prayer; do not deny God in this month neither with hand noor foot. —

62 This month washes from sin, make clean the whole man and Satan is bound till to the last day thereof. —

63 Leave from slander and calumny, give up eating forbidden things; do not talk about matters, with which you have nothing to do. —

64 Be strict in observing this month from the very first day, till you have kept holy all of them; begin with the first day, end with the last night. —

65 You shall bring in the holy-keeping of this month, should an ordinary cause prevent you from eating; if
66 some distress has come to you before its time was up. —
As soon as early morning greets thee, do not eat;
Drink not, touch not thy wife untill the sun has set. —

67 Do not take too much water to wash thy mouth and nose; do not take snuff in thy mouth nor in thy nose either. —

68 The whole of these things are allowed when tasted
before day break;
but when they dispute about snuff at all, — then it
is as well to leave it untouched.

69 The question arose between *ʾAlīyu* and *Ganīu*,
who forbids to take snuff for the sake of salvation. —

70 *Laganīu* forbids it *ʾAlīu* allows it;
May he of the two be struck with blindness who told
the lie.

Blind is the allower, the forbidder is not blind; 71
he may return and see his error and will believe in
the Command. —

Observe cleanness of heart, then every sin is wiped 72
off; but upon transgression and forgetfulness of the
law, there follows the fire's reward. —

Make the yearly journey for God's sake if you will 73
keep the word;
do not fail to pass through Madina when you return. —

Pass to the grave of Muhamad; 74
God be merciful unto him and bless him, — the
illustrious man. —

Ask any thing you like and you will get it; 75
the best things are at his disposition, the last of the
prophets is he.

He is the best of Creation both on high and here 76
below;
He loves every believer, he who is himself the be-
loved of God. —

Follow the faith of Muhamad, leave false religion; 77
show that by word and deed if you want to receive
mercy.

Do not part from good people, leave the company 78
of the bad;
Leave alone the ignorant and keep to the learnd and
wise. —

Do not countenance falsehood, do not connive at 79
wrong;
or else you will go to the fire, when you die. —

Do not be like wolf, leopard and lion; 80
do not be like eagle, dog and vulture. —

81 The wolf will dash at, — the leopard bounce upon every thing, they meet;
the lion will seize with strength, swift is the eagle's dart.

82 The dog hunts and runs after the spoil, the vulture flies high; that he may see the carcase if it be rotten for him.

83 As to the robber's spoil — he will repay the robbed, by 70 prayers for thus the robber had found mercy before.

84 Do not follow evil lusts, lest you go too far and sin be done; do not go beyond what is right. —

85 Do not look at one, who is none of yours lest you covet her; do not seek to behold her face neither within nor out of doors. —

86 The smell of the adulterer's shame (private parts) is increase of torture to the company in hell.

87 Swollen shall it be standing out as a hill flowing with loathsome matter, — disease will come and eat up waist and bone. —

88 Do not bring on you public cursing and flogging, of the law and the fire too at last.

Tasting the sweetness of the world, is but for the twinkling of the eye; — ah both quick and nasty. —

89 Do not love the world and if you are an ennemy of God, — you will soon be good for a firebrand. —

90 All sin that comes from the love of the world, shall not have mercy.

91 Who denies God, although he pray and keep the fast and pay the tax, perform the journey, and keep on praying, — yet, after all, he must burn. —

Keep in mind, that God has promised to us; that 92
He will judge the world at the last day. —

Good and bad are weighed together, when the good 93
draws, those people have mercy. —

If the bad weighs down, — they are fellows of hell; 94
those are the ungodly, who sit in hell.

Thus will the bastard ask his mother; how will it 95
be with me after death, — at the end?

Be not puffed up, keep yourself humble, then they 96
will lift you up; be not envious, be kind to your family and friends. —

Let Satan be accursed, because of his lifting up; 97
envy hindered Caïn from having mercy. —

Do not break your word, do not tell tales; do not 98
calumniate, be not a godless man, leave these things all. —

Great mercy and blessings be, upon our Prophet, 99
he is the last man of God. —

II.

صفاج لسل فلب فوت عود تفودومبّ هبّ جون

SIFÁĠI LASLI FÚLBE FŪTA
ʾĪYUDE TO FUDǑDEMABBE HEBBI ĠǑNE.

THE HISTORY OF THE ORIGIN OF THE FULAS OF FUTA, FROM THEIR BEGINNING TILL NOW.

عَبْدُ ٱلْقَادِرِ ٱلْإِمَامُ يَحْيَى ٱلْإِمَامُ أَحْمَدُ ٱلْإِمَامُ عُمَرُ * عُلَامِ
دُوبِ نُوقَىْ جُوعُمَايِ * ٱلْإِمَامُ سَدُ لَامِ عِنْ طِرْ لَامُ ٱلْإِمَامِ
أَبُو بَكَرِ عُمَايِ * بِوَتِ ٱلْإِمَامُ يَحْيَى عُلَامِ دُوبِ سَبْ عِقْعُ
عُمَايِ عِنْ طِرْ لَامُ ٱلْإِمَامِ أَبُو بَكَرِ * بِلَمِّنِ ٱلْإِمَامُ أَحْمَدُ
عُلَامِ دُوبِ طِطِ عُمَـــايِ عِنْ طِرْ لَامُ ٱلْإِمَامِ أَبُو بَكَرِ *
بِلَمِّنِ ٱلْإِمَامُ عُمَرُ كَنْكُ عُأْنْ بِفِلِنْدِرِ عِوْطِ بُطَلْ هِبِّ مُتَلْ *
كُطُلْنْ بِوَرِ مَوْدُ إِبْرَهِيمَ مُبَادِمْبَا مِنِزَاوُ ٱلْإِمَامِ أَبُو بَكَرِ *
بِلَمِّنِ ٱلْإِمَامُ إِبْرَهِيمَ قِطَلْ ٱلْإِمَامِ أَبُو بَكَرِ كُعُنْ عِٱلْإِمَامُ
عُمَرُ وِنِى عِلُنْتُنْدَرِلْ جُونِ * إِوْ جِهَادِ فُتِنُو هِبِّ جُونِ كُ
دُوبِ تِيبِتِرِ عِسَبَنْطِ تَتِ عِجِيطِطِ هِكَ *

تِمِّ صِفَلِجِ لَسْلِ قُلْبِ فُوتَ عِوْدِ تُقُنُودِمَبِّ هِبِّ جُونِ
عِكَنْقُلْ مُحَمَّدُ صَالِحُ عِإِبْرَهِيمَ مَنْدِنْدَ *

هَبّ عِوْط بليد فُوتَ حَاء دِيَنْ لَنْدَنْ أَرْبَنْكَ * هَبّ كَاكَنْدَ هَبّ لِيد سُمْبُيَا هَبِ لِيد تَلْجِق * عَد طُنْ حَاء كَمْبِيَ * كَنْكُ وَتِ دِينَ حَاء سُوس بليد لِمْبَ بليد سُلِمَا * هَبّ طُنْ حَاء فَلَبَ بليد جَلُو بليد سَنْسَمْبُ عُنَبِي طُنْ حَاء كَمْبَرِيَاج * عُفيل حَاء لِيد بُنْدُ حَاء لِيد بَمْبَرَ جَالِبَ قَطَ عقَانِي * عُنَبِي طُنْ حَاء كَابُ حَاء دَبُنْقُلْ بَنْجُلُو عُلَامِ دُوبِ سَبُّ جِيقُعْ *

أَلْإِمَامُ عَبْدُ ٱلْقَادِرِ عِمَّنِ فِي لَامُ * بِدَاكُنْدِرِ بِفِلِنْدِرِ بِعكِيتِقِيَّا * بِوَرِ بَادِمْبَ * بِلَمِّنِ أَلْإِمَامُ عَبْدُ ٱلْقَادِرِ قطَلْ أَلْإِمَامِ سُرِ كُعُنْ فِيلِ لِيد فُلُسَبَ بليد فِرِيَّا بليد بِنْسِنْقِل بليد بَنْتُ بليد نُورَ عُلَامِ دُوبِ سَبُ تَتِ عُمَايِ * بِلَمِّنِ أَلْإِمَامُ أَبُو بُكَرِ جِكُرُ عُنْ هَبّ لِيد كُرِنْيَا عُلَامِ لِبّ جنَنْ عُمَايِ * بِلَمِّنِ أَلْإِمَامُ أَبُو بَكَرِ عُفِيلِ مِسِنْدِنْكُد عُنَبِ كُنْ فَلَبَ نَقْ بُنِي * عُأَرْتِي عُنَبِ كُنْ كُرِنْكُ عُفِس لِيد هُوْط * عُنَبِ كُنْ بَانْ عِكُنْ تَلْجِق طِعّ كُ جِهَادِ * هَكُنْدَمَكُ عِفُوتَ عُفِلِنْدِرِ عَلْإِمَامُ عَبْدُ ٱلْقَادِرِ عِلَابِكُو * عُوَرِ طُنْ لَمْطُ سِيَّا عُرَطِيبِ * عُفِلِنْدِرِ عِلَمْبِ نَنْ أَلْإِمَامُ

وُسْقُرَمَ * عُتَوِيبِ هِبِّ وِطِ قَمُلْ عُسُرْتِ لَبِمَكُ عُفِيمِ دُنْدُورُنْدُ *
يِمْبِبِنْ رَطِيمُ عُدُقِ حَاءِ تِمْبُ عُرِّى حَاتُ قَرَمُكُ أَلْفَ عُوِعِ
كُتُو مِفِيمِ دُنْدُرُ هِيفِرِبِنْ * عُوِعِمُ عَـلِـبِى كُ سَتِ *
مُسِبِمِيطُ بِنْ عَلَاطُعُ * بِعِتِ نُلَلْ بِنُلِ حَاءِ فُقُمْبَا تُمَوْطُمَبِعُنْ فِي
أَحْبَارِ بِنُلْدِ عَوِ يُـبِـعِـمِّ مُتَاجِى مُسِيتُ عُجُوطَتَاقُ * قَرَمُكُ
أَلْفَا عُنُلْتِ عِمَبِّ فُقُمْبَ * يُبِفُتُنْ عِتَلَنْسَنْ هِيفِرِبِنْ كَتِ
هَوْتِتِ هَمَّنِ تَلَنْسَنْ بِفِلِنْدِرِ عِفُلْبِنْ * أَلَّهُ عُكِ فُلْبِنْ نُلَلْ *
كُدِنْ حَوْرِ وِنِى فُدُودِ جِهَادِ عِفُوتَ جَلُو *

بِهَوْتِتَنِ فِى لَمِنْقُلْ سَبُنَ جِهَادِ قَسَصَ عِبَـاوُ لَمْـطُ *
مَوْطُمَبِّ عُنْمَّاكِ يُبِلَمِّنِ أَلْفَا مُتِمْبُ بِلَمِّنِمُ * أَلْفَـا مُتِمْبُ
لَامِ دُوبِ سَبُّ عِجِتَتِ * كُ عِطِعِ دُوبِ كُـعُ هَبِّ فُوتَ
عُدَرْنِ دِينَ عُمَيْرِ عُمَـاىِ * بِلَمِّنِ أَلْإِمَامِ سُرِ كُعُنْ هَبِّ
لِيدِ سَنْقَرَ عِلِيدِ كُرَنْكُ عِلِيدِ كِسِ عِلِيدِ وَاسُلُنْ حَـاءِ
هَوْتِنِ عِمَـاىُ وُطُوُ عِلِيدِ جُومَ عِلِيدِ بُورِىَ عِبَنْبُكُ عِلِيدِ
بَجَرْ * عُهَبِّ لِيدِ جَبَنْدِ جُوِ عُلَامِ دُوبِ جَبَنْدِ تَتِى عِنَى
عُمَاىِ * بِلَمِّنِ بَاوُ طُنْ أَلْفَا صَالِحُ قَطَلْ قَرَمُكُ أَلْفَا كُعُنْ
هَبِّ لِيدِ تُرُنْ عُلَامِ دُوبِ نَى عُمَاىِ * بِوَتِ بَادِمْبَ كُعُنْ

لَسْلِ قُلْبِ فُوتَ كُ فَاسْ بِعِوِ *

لَسْلِمَبّ كُ عِمْرِدْ عِقْنَقُلْ عَارَبْ *

مَوْبِ عَرْبِبْنْ كُ يِمْبِ طِطْ سِيدِ عِسِيرِ * بِعَرِ حَاءِ لِيدِ جَاكَا حَاتُ وَلِّي عَلّ عِنْدِمَكُ ٱلْحَجّ صَالِحْ سُوَارِ * مَوْطْ قِنْقُلْ مَنِنْكَابِ * بِوِعَنُمْ مِعَرِي حَـتُمَعَ تُرَابِمَ بَرّكِ * كُ فِتِنَ يَنِ تُلِيدِعَمِ * عُوِعِبِ فِجّي حَـاتُ لِيدِ بِوِعِي فُوتَ جَلُـوُ * كُ طُنْ وُنِي نِيبِرْبِمْعْ * عُدْعَنِيبِ بِيبِلِـي بِعَرِ حَاءِ فُوتَ * سِيدِ هَمّ عَيْنّدِ دَابْلَا عُوْنِي طُنْ حَاءِ مَايِ * هِتّنِي بِتُمَكُ عُنْ جِبِنِ بِبِ طِطْ نُوحُ عِمَالِحْ * نُوحُ جِبِنِ كَرِمُكُ ٱلْفَا * مَالِحْ جِبِنِ سِرّنْ يُوسُفْ عِابْرِهَمِ * سِيرِ عَرِي حَاءِ فُقُمْبَ عُجِبِنِ طُنْ بِبِ كُ بِنْ وُنِي حَكُّدِ مَـاجِ كُ لِيدِ وِعِتِنُنْ جَاعِطِنْ كُ تَتِ * بُرِيَا فُقُمْبَا بَبِدَلِ * كُطِنْ تَتِ وُنِي ٱلْهَالِ تِمْبُ * مَاجِضْنْ كُ طِطِ بَلُوتِينِ *

بِبِ سِيدِبِنْ عِبِبِ سِيرِبِنْ بِيتِتِ بِحَلّدِ فِي جِهَادِ عِلِيدِ فُوتَ * تَوِي كُ بِبِ سِيرِبِنْ وُنِي مَوْبِ * ٱلْإِمَامْ سِرِ عُيَهِ حَاءِ سَارِ بِوِعِي

Laɓli Fulbe Fūta, ko Fāɓ beɔiwi.

Laɓlimabbe ko ɔimorde ɛ geŋgol ɔArabe ✱ maube arbebeŋ ko yimbe dido Sɛ̄di ɛ Sɛ̄ri. ✱ be ɔari ɓāɔɛ lɛ̄di Ǵāka ɓāto walīu ɔAlla ɔindemako Alɓaǵi Sālilɓu Suwāre Maudo geŋgol Maniŋkābe. ✱ be wiɔánemo Meŋɓari ɓātomaɔa torādema bárki ✱ ko fitina yáni to lɛ̄diɔame ✱ owiɔibe fɛǵe ɓāto lɛ̄di be wīɔe Fūta-Ǵalō ✱ ko doŋ wóni ŋībirdemoɔon ✱ o duɔanībe, be beddi be ɔari ɓāɔɛ Fūta ✱ Sɛ̄di hammiri ɔAinde-dābolā owóni dõ ɓāɔɛ māi ✱ heddi bidomako ɔoŋ ǵibini bibe dido Nūɓu ɛ Mālilɓ ✱ Nūɓu ǵibini Karamoko Alfā ✱ Mālilɓ ǵibini Sɛrnu Yūsufu ɛ Ībrahīma ✱ Sɛ̄ri ɔári ɓāɔɛ Fukúmba oǵíbini doŋ bibe ko beŋ woni Ǵākunde Māǵe ✱ ko lɛ̄di wiɔedɛ̄nõ ǵāedeŋ ko tati ✱ Burīa Fukúmba Kɛ̄bāli ✱ ko deŋ tate woni alhāli Timbo ✱ māǵedeŋ ko dídi Bálleõ Tɛ̄ne ✱ bibe Sɛ̄dibeŋ ɛ bibe Sɛ̄ribeŋ yīdidi be ɓaldi fi ǵihādi en lɛ̄di Fūta ✱ tawi ko bibe Sɛ̄ribeŋ woni maube ✱ Alimāmi Sori oyáhi ɓāɔɛ sāre bewīɔe Wosogórama ✱ o táwi hibbe wadi gámol o sorti labimako o fɛ̄ri dundūrundu ✱ yimbebeŋ radīmo o doki ɓāɔɛ Timbo ✱ o ɔari ɓāto Karamóko Alfa o wiɔi kodo miɟɛ̄ri dúnduru hɛ̄ferebebeŋ ✱ o wiɔimo ɔālibi ko sati ✱ Musibemɛ̄de beŋ ɔalā doɔo ✱ be ɔiti núlal be nuli ɓāɔɛ Fukúmbā to Maudomabbeɔô fi aɓbāre ✱ be núldi ɔawa yobe immi motaǵi mosīto o ǵotatāko ✱ Karamóko

*Alfa o núlti ẹ mabbe Fukúmba * yo be fotoi ẹ Talaṅsan * hẹ̄ferebebeṅ kadi hautite hammani Talaṅsaṅ be felíndiri ẹ Fulbebeṅ * Allah ɜoki Fulbebeṅ nulal * kondeṅ ɦaure woni fudọ̄de ǵihādi ẹ Fūta Ǵalọ̄ **

*Be hautitáṇi fi laminǵol sábuna ǵihādi kásada ẹ bāwo lambdo * maudomabbe omāki yo be lammini Alfa mo Timbo * be lamminimo * Alfa mo Timbo lāmi dūbi sapo ẹ ǵẹ̄tati * koẹdiɜi dūbi woni koɜo habbi Fūta odarni dina ẹ māiri o māi * be lammini Alimāmi Suri koɜoṅ habbi lẹ̄di Sáṅgara ẹ lẹ̄di Koráṅko ẹ lẹ̄di Kisi ẹ lẹ̄di Wāsolõ ɦāɜẹ haútini ẹ Māyo-wọ̄dewọ̄ ẹ lẹ̄di Ǵọ̄ma ẹ lẹ̄di Būria ẹ Bámbugu ẹ lẹ̄di Báǵar * o habbe lẹ̄de ǵapánde ǵúwi o lāmi dūbi ǵapánde tati ẹ nai o māi * be lámmini bāwo dõ Alfa Sāliɦu gédal Karamóko Alfa koɜoṅ habbi lẹ̄di Tọ̄ro * o lāmi dūbi nai omāi * be wati Bā-Demba koɜoṅ habbi ɜīwde ẹ lẹ̄di Fūta ɦāɜẹ dīaṅ landaṅ Arapóṅga * habbi Kákande habbi lẹ̄di Sumbúya * habbi lẹ̄di Telǵigi adi dõ ɦāɜẹ Kámbia kanko watı dina ɦāɜẹ Sọ̄so ẹ̄ lẹ̄di Límba ẹ lẹ̄di Sōlimā * habbe dô ɦāɜẹ Falba ẹ lẹ̄di Ǵalọ̄ ẹ lẹ̄di Sáṅsambu onabbi dõ ɦāɜẹ Kambareyāǵe * ofẹ̄li ɦāɜẹ lẹ̄di Búntu ɦāɜẹ lẹ̄di Bámbara Ǵāliba gāda ẹ gani * onabi dõ ɦāɜẹ Gābu ɦāɜẹ dabúṅgol Baṅǵulu * o lāmi dūbi sapo ẹ ǵẹ̄goɜo * Alimāmi ɜAbdul-kādiri immani fi lamu * be dākúndiri be felíndiri ẹ Kedigīa * be wári Bā-Demba be lammini Alimāmi ɜAbdul-kādiri gédal Alimāmi Súri koɜoṅ fẹ̄li lẹ̄di Fọlo-sāba ẹ lẹ̄di Firīa ẹ lẹ̄di Beṅseṅkele ẹ lẹ̄di Bántu ẹ lẹ̄di Nọ̄ra o lāmi dūbi sapo ẹ tati o māi * be lammini Alimāmi Abu-bakari Ǵúkuru * ɜoṅ habbi lẹ̄di Kurúnya o lāmi lebbi ǵẹ̄nai o māi * be lammini Alimāmi Abu-bakari o fẹ̄li Mensendeṅkūde onabi kónu Fálaba ṅgu bonuī * o ɜardī onabi kónu Koráṅko ofuse lẹ̄de hẹ̄ude * onabi kónu Bānu ẹ*

*kónu Telǵigi * diʾi ko ǵihādi * hakúndemako ẹ Fūta o felíndiri ẹ Alimāmi ʾAbdul-kādiri ẹ Lābigo * o wári dõ lambdo Surīa o radībe * o felíndiri ẹ lambe nai Alimāmi ʾAbdulkādiri ẹ Alimāmi Yāĥya ẹ Alimāmi ʾOmaru * o lāmi dūbi nõgai ǵúwe o māi * Alimāmi Sādu lāmi en dẹr lāmu Alimāmi Abu bákari o māi * be wati Alimāmi yāĥya o lāmi dūbi sapo ẹ gõʾo o māi en dẹr lāmu Alimāmi Abu bákari * be lammini Alimāmi Aĥmadu o lāmi dūbi didi o māi en dẹr lāmu Alimāmi Abu-bákari * be lammini Alimāmi ʾOmaru kanko ẹ oṅ be felíndiri ʾīwde putal hebbi mútal ko doṅ be wari Mõdi Ibrahīma mo Bā-Demba minirāo Alimāmi Abu bákari * be lammini Alimāmi Ibrahīma gédal Alimāmi Abu bákari koʾoṅ ẹ Alimāmi ʾOmaru wóni ẹ londóndiral ǵõne * ʾīwde ǵihādi fútino hebbi ǵõne ko dūbi temédẹre ẹ ǵapánde tati ẹ ǵẽdidi hīka *

*Timmi sifáǵi lasli Fulbe Fūta ʾīwde to fudõdemabbe ĥebbi ǵõne ẹ koṅgol Muĥammadu Sāliĥu ẹ Ibrahīma Mandíṅka **

The origin of the Fulas of Fūta; — they came from Fezan (fas); their origin is from the Arab tribes; the headmen of those who came, were two men *Sẹ̄di* and *Sẹ̄ri.* — They came to the *Ġaka* country to *Walīu-Allah* whose name is *Alhaġu-Sāliñu-Suwāre* a headman of the Mandingo people. — They said to him: We come to thee to ask of thee a mercy; trouble has come to our land. He told them: Pass till to the country *Fūta-Ġalŏ*, there shall be your abode. He prayed over them. — They passed till they came to Fūta. — *Sẹ̄di* traded to the Lowlands (*ainde-dābola*) and there he remained till he died. — He left his son who begat two sons *Nūñu* and *Mālik.* — Nuhu begat the priest (Karamoko) Alfa. — Maliñ begat Sernu Yusufu and Ibrahim. — *Sẹ̄ri* came till to Fucumba, there he begat sons, who remained in *Hakunde-Māġe* (the Middle-riverland) = بين نهرين. — So is called a country in which are three towns *Burīa*, *Fucūmba*, *Kēbāli*, which three are confederates to Timbo; and the two rivers are *Balleo* and *Tẹ̄ne.* — The sons of *Sẹ̄di* and *Sẹ̄ri* had a time ago met each other and talked about a Crusade into the Futa country. — Then a time came when the children of *Sẹ̄ri* grew up to men. — Alimami Suri went and came to a town called Wosogorama. — He

met them as they danced, he drew out his knife and shore up the drum; so the people drove him and he fled into Timbo and came to Alfa the priest and said: My great brother; I have shorn the drum of the infidels. — He answered you have got up a guarrel. Our relations are not here. — They got a messenger and sent him to Fucumba about this matter; to their headmen. — They sent back they must be ready. — He that commits murder cannot sit down quiet. — Alfa the priest sent back to Fucumba to say: they must get ready to meet in *Talañsañ*. — The infidels came again together and traded in *Talañsañ* and fired upon the Fulas. — But God granted the Fulas help. — This war was the beginning of the Crusade in *Fūta-Ġalõ*. — Then they assembled again to choose a king, because a Crusade is not allowed without a king; their headman said they must make the Alfa of Timbo king; so they made him king. — The Alfa of Timbo reigned 18 years and it was in these years that he fought Futa and introduced the religion in the land and died. — They made king Alimami Suri, who fought against the land *Sañgara* and *Ko-Koranko* and against the land *Kisi* and the land *Wāsolõ* till they come to the Red-River (*Mayo-wǭdewo*) and the land *Ġǭma* and the land *Bure* and *Bambugu* and the land *Baġar*. — He fought against 50 countries, he reigned 34 years and died. — Afterwards they made king Alfa Salihu the son of Karamoko Alfa, who fought against the country *Tǭro*, he reigned 4 yours and died. — They called back Ba-Demba, who fought from the country Futa till to the Saltwater in the Rio Pongas, he also fought against the Rio Nunez and the country Sum-

buya; he fought against the country *Telǵigi*; then he entered Kambia so he fought on and established the religion in the Susu, Limba and Solima countries, then he fought on till to the *Falaba Ǵalõ* and *Sansamba* countries; he carried on the war till to *Kambareyāǵe*; he fired into the Buntu country and in the Bambara country also both on this side and on the other side of the *Ǵāliba* then he carried the war till to the Gambia till to the river Senegal, he reigned 16 years. — Alimāmi abdul-kadiri came to the reign. — They make camp against one another; they shoot upon one another in Kedigia they kill Ba-Demba. They make king Alimāmi abdul-kadiri the son of Alimāmi Suri who shot into the country *Folosaba* and into the country *Firia* and the country *Beńseńkẹle* and the country Bantu and the country *Nõra*, he reigned 13 years and died. — They make king Alimāmi Abubakar the trader (*Ǵikuru*) he fought against the country Kurunya, he reigned 9 months and died. — They make king Alimami abu-bakar; he shot into Mesendenkude, he carried the war into Falaba which he spoiled, he came over and carried the war into Koranko, he also devastated many other countries. — He carried on the wars of Bani and of *Telǵigi* and these were Crusades. — There was also shooting between him and Alimāmi Abdul-kadiri of Lābigo in Futa; afterwards he killed the king of Luria and put his people to flight; he fought with 4 kings Alimāmi Abdul-kadiri and Alimāmi Yaĥya and Alimāmi Aĥmad and Alimāmi Omar, he reigned 25 years and died. — Alimāmi Sādu reigned in the reign of Alimāmi Abubakar and died. — They chose Alimāmi

Yaḥya he reigned 11 years and died in the reign of Alimāmi Abu-bakar. — They made king Alimāmi Aḥmadu he reigned 2 years and died in the reign of Alimāma Abu-bakar. — They made king Alimāmi Omar, he and the latter one shot upon one another from sunrise till sunset, it was then when they killed *Mọ̄di Ibrahima*, who was the son of Ba-Demba who had a younger brother Alimāmi Abu-bakar. They make king Alimāmi Ibrahim the son of Alimāmi Abu-bakar; he and Alimāmi Omar have the rule now turn by turn. — From the Crusade's beginning till now are therefore 137 years.

Finished is the history of the origin of the Fulas of Fūta from their beginning till now after the statement of *Muḥamad Sāliḥ* and *Ibrahim* the *Mandiŋgo*.

III.

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FUDǑDE DE:E HAURE TO FUTA ḤAKUNDE ALFĀ MUHAMMADŪ ĠUḤE E ALMĀMI ẸNG ǑMARU E ĪBRAHĪMA KO BAILO.

THE HISTORY OF THE WAR IN FUTA BETWEEN ALFA MUHAMED ĠUHE AND BOTH THE IMĀMS OF THE COUNTRY OMAR AND IBRAHIM.

قَلْبَيْمْ بِنَوْدِرِى حُورِ سَادُ بَنْتَمَـادِنْ حَا تُ ٱلْمَـامِ * بِوِعِ كَمْمِ كَدِ ٱللَّهَ رُكِّيمِ كُـنُ *

بِحَوْتِتِ بِمُجِنْتِينِ قَنْلِيجِّـمَمْ ٱلْمَامِ عُمَرُ مَاكِ أَوَ ٱلْمَامِ إِبْرَاهِيمَ عَنْ لُتَّنْعَنْ تُسَارِ مِمْ مِرِينَنَ عِنْ حُبُّوبِمِ عُحَمِّتِرِ سُقْتُرِ عُوْنِـنُ دَاكَ حَا حُبُّوبِمْ عَرِبِى بِقَلِّدِرِ * ٱلْمَامِ عُمَرُ فُـولِبِ عُوَرِى مَبِّ كُلُوجِ تَتِ عِتِيـمِ جِـيتَـتِ عِجَبَنْنِ جَاكُعُ عِبِمْمِ جَاطِطُ عِكَلِىَ أُسْنِّ لَمِىَ أُسْنِّ مَوْدِىَ وُنْدُدُ عِجَعِ حِوْدِنْ * ٱللَّهُ إِتِّى جَمِبِ مَمِّ إِوْدِ دِنْجَنْدِ بِجَمَالِ جَنْبِ عِٱلْمَامِ * كَلَتُ مِحَوْرِ بِفُولِتِ حَا جُونِ * لَا حَوْلَ وَ لَا قُوَّةَ إِلَّا بِاللَّهِ *

طُنْ بِفِلْدِرِ عَالْمَامِعِنْ دُكِ * اَلْمَامِ عُمَرُ حَيِّرِ قُيِّنْ اَلْمَامِ
اِبْرَاهِيمَ حَيِّرِ كِيبَالِ اَتَوِ مُودِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ كَبَا عُوِامُ اَلْمَامِ
وُنْ كَلَ كُوَنَيْمَا وَنَعِنْ كَلَ * بَاوُ اَلْمَامِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ وُنِى
مُودِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ كَبَا عُنُلِ اَلْمَامِ عُمَرُ يُعُمَرُ وُتَعُفِجُ كُيِّنْ *
اَلْمَامِ عُمَرُ اُسِينِى حَاتُ كِيبَالِ مُودِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ كَبَا عُوِعِ
اَلْمَامِ عُمَرُ وُنْ حُودِ كَلَ كُوَنَتَعُنْ وَنَعِنْ كَلَ وُتَعُنْ حُلِى
بَرْكِيجِ مَوْمِ مِيدِ نُلْتِ عِمِينِ دُعَاجِ مَبِّ قُجَابُتُونْ بَحَوْتِتِ
بُونِ دُنْ مُكَلَ عُكَّرَا قَلِّ تُونَ هَا فُوتُ فُوْ رِنْتِى عِكِيبَالِ *
مُودِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ كَبَا نُمَرِمِ دُنْ * بَاوُ فُوتُ رِنْتِى عِكِيبَالِ بِدَانِيمُ
بِفُتِّ يُمُونُ بُونِ تُكِبَالِ دُنْ حَادُقُّ لَنِّ فُوتَفُوْ رِنْتِ وُلِّتِى
مُودِ اِبْرَاهِيمِ كَبَا جُكِتَادِبِ وُنْدُدِ عِبُنْتِ فُنْتُنُونِ
اِتِنْبُ * هَا تَبِّ اَلْمَامِ عُمَرُ بِعَدِّ نُنْ حَاعِ فُكُنْبَا * اُنُونِ
نُنْ بِنُلْتِ عِبَادِنْبَ عِكُهُنَّ مِنْ سُخْلِرِى رُتَّادِ * بَادِمْبَ
نُلْتِ يُمُجُ نُسَتِّ تَحُ * بِوُنِرِ نُنْ حَا فُوتَ فُوْ رِنْتِى بِعَرْتِرَا
حَا عِتِنْبُ حَوْرُدِرِ بَادِمْبَ عِحُبُوبِنْ فُلِدِرِى اَللَّهُ اُكِّ بَادِمْبَ كُتُ
عُورِ قُحِيوِ عِمَمِّ عِسَعِيدُيَا * حَوْرِ كَدِ قُنْ حُبُوبِنْ
بُنُيِى عِقَلْبَ بِوَرِ كُحِيوِ مُورِ هُورِيجُعُنْ صَادُ بَنْتَمَا يِنْمِ

عُنْلُدِ بَيْلُ * ٱلْمَامِ نُدِتِى فُوتَ فِي وُرِيدِ ٱلْفَا عُمَرُ فُوتَفُوْرِنْتِى
تِمْبُ بِفُقِتَنِ يَادِ تُ ٱلْفَا مُحَمَّدُ فِي وَرِقُلْمَكُ ٱلْفَا عُمَرُ *
ٱلْمَامِ عُمَرُ عَالْمَامِ اِبْرَاهِيمَ بِيَادِ عِفُوتَ فُوْ وُنْدُدِ عِمَوْمِ تِنْبُ
فُوْ بِيَجِ هَا مِجُوْنِي تُدَاقَ * بِنُلِ ٱلْفَا مُحَمَّدُ لَمِيًّا يُعَرْ * بِجُونَنُو
حَالَقًا عُنُلْتِ أُجَمَالِ نُوتَادِ ٱلْمَامِبَانْ * عُوعِ وُنَا حُيْنُدِ مَوْمِ
فُوتَ جَنْفَاجِ وُنَادِدِنْ وُنِ مُجَبَالِ نُوتَادِ فُوتَ عَالْمَامِعَنْ *
سِعَلْمَامِ حَبِيلَنْ فَالْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ سِبِعَجِّيلَ فُوْمُعْ نُعِمَبَّ قُنُنْ
مِيَاتَا * بُونِ عِقَنْدَاكَ هَا سُومِيِى دَرِى هَادُمَايِ * جَلْطُمَبِ
نُفِلِّدِرَ حَا جَنْدِ فُعُ جِمَّ بِنْمِ عَرِ بِفِلِّ مُودِ اِسْمَاعِيلَ مُفُودِيِى
حَجِّ تُدِرْ دَاكَ بِنْجَنْدِ جِنْمَرَ بِنْمِ كُنُكُنْ جُنِّنِدِرِ
لَنْجَقُلْ دِوِيتُنُو بِنْبِ بِنْمِفُوْ نَاتَنِى حُوتُدِ بِوِعِ مِطُنْ وَرِيدِ
عِفُو * ٱلْمَامِعَنْ مَاكِ وُنْدُدِ عِمَوْمِ فُوتَ بِجَمَالِ حَوْرِدِنْ *
يُهُوتِ بِفُكِّتِ بِعَرِ هَا عِتَلِكِلِنْ بِفُوْتِى * ٱلْفَا مُحَمَّدُ اِمِّنِ
قُنُفْ مُعْ * يُجُقُّبِ اِدِرْتُ ٱلْمَامِ عِنْ عِمَوْمِ فُوتَ تُفُوْتِنُونُنْ
قُنُقُنْ حَوْتِتِيمِ بِفِلِّمِ بِفِلِّدِرِ * ٱلْمَامِعَنْ وُنْدُدِ عِيُقَ عِفُوتَ
بِدُقِ حُبُّومِ مِنْجُكِّ بَوَرِ مُوْمِ تِنْبُ كُهِيوِ ٱلْمَامِعَنْ
كِرِ نُ بِدَنِرَ بِدُكِ هَا عِتِنْبُ * بَاوُ مُعْ بِجُكِّبِ كَدِ تُتِنْبُ

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَانِ الرَّحِيمِ لَا حَوْلَ وَلَا قُوَّتَ اِلَّا بِاللَّهِ العَلِيِّ العَظِيمِ

فُطُودِ دِعِهَوْرِ تُفُوتَ حَكُدِ اَلْفَا مُحَمَّدُ جُجِ عَالَمَامِ عُمَرُ
عَالَمَامِ اِبْرَاعِيمَرَ كُبَيْلُ

كُقَتَلْ اَلْفَا عُمَرُ مُبَيْلُ عَرِى حَمْدَ اللَّهِ سَبُ لَنْدَكُلْ
عَادِنْمَبّ بِنَاتِ تُسَارِ بِوِيرِ قَتَلْ اَلْفَا عُمَرُ عُنَاتِ تُقْرِيجِمَكُ
عُلْتِمُ عُبِ بَنْطَرَوَلْ تُقَلِ جُنْكَلِدِنْ عَرْتِي عُلَنْدِى مُبُرِ
بَنْتَرَوَقُلْ عُوعِ كُمِنْ كُبُرْدُنْتَا عُجَابِى سَبُ مِيقُعَنْ
وُكُعَنْ تُتِقَلْ عُوعِ كُسَبُ بَنْتَرَوَلْ بِيرْتَامِ عُوعِمُ وَنَا عَادِنْ
حُوِ بِيِّنِنْدِرِ بِنْمِ فَابِى بِحَمِ بِسُبِّدِرِ قَطَلْ اَلْفَا عُمَرُ عُنْ
حُوتِ وُنْدُدِ عِينْمِمَكُ عُهَبْرِي بَمَقُ عُنْ عِمِّى عُعَرِ لَنْدَادِ
قُوَيِّمِ تُحَمْدُ اللَّهِ بِجَمِّمُ حَوْرِ بَوِرِمُ بِنَنْكِ بِيْقُفُنْ *

اَلْفَا مُحَمَّدُ لَمِيًّا عُنُلِ تُعَلَّمَامِ عُمَرُ فِي حَوْرِدِنْ حَكُّدِمَقُّ
عَالَّفَا عُمَرُ عُنُلَّدُرِ لِحَالِيجِ اَلْفَا عُمَرُ قُعَدُرْنُو اَلْمَامِ جِنْتِ مِرَنْجِنِ

Fudǭde dę̄ʾe haure to Futa ƙakunde Alfā Muhammadū Ġuƙe e Almāmi ęng Ǭmaru e Ībrahīma ko bailo.

Ko gędal Alfa Ǭmaru mǫ bailo ʾari ƙamd Allāhi sabu lanġagol ʾademabe. — benāti tǫ sāri be wę̄ri; gędal Alfa Ǭmarū ǫnati tǫ gǫrę̄ġe-mako ǫ luttimo, ǫ bǫri bandarawal tǫ galle; ġongallede ǫ ardui ǫ landi: mǭ bǫri bandarawángal? ǫ wiʾi ko miƞ. — (ǫ wiʾi) ko bórduda? ǫ ġābi ko sabu bęngua. — Wǫ ko an tūdingal? o wiʾi ko sabu bandarawal yenirdāmi? ǫ wiʾimo wǫna ʾāde ƙuwi? be yenendīri. — yimbe fabi be habi be sǫbbindīri. — gędal Alfā Ǭmarū ǫ ƙǫdi wǫndude e yimbemako ǫ habrui bábamako. — ǫ ʾimmi ǫ ʾari landāde ko wadibe tǫ ƙamd Allāhi. — be ġaburīmo haure, be warīmo be naƞgi bęngungu. —

Alfā Muƙammad Lamīa ǫ nuli tǫ Almāmi Ǭmaru ƒi ƙáurende ƙakundemako ę Alfā Ǭmaru, ǫ nulduri alƙālīġi Alfā Ǭmaru ko ʾadórno. — Almāmi dyęti miranġídi ǫ nuldi bailo. — Almāmi (Ǭmaru) notidi Futa ƒi warę̄de Alfā Ǭmaru. — Futa fǭ renti Timbǭ be fǫkitani yāde tǫ Alfā Muƙammad Lamīa ƒi wárgolmako Alfā Ǭmaru. — Almāmi Ǭmaru ę Almāmi Ībrahīma be yāde ę Futa fǭ wǫ́ndude ę maube Timbo fǭ; be yaƙi ha be ƙę̄ūtoi tǫ dāka. Be nuli ę Alfā Muƙammad Lamīa ió ʾar. — be

ǵǫ̃da nǫ ɦálaka. — ǫ nuldi ǫ ǵabāli nǫtāde Almāmi ẹn. — Ǫ wiɜi wǫna hoinude māube Futa ǵangfaǵi wonādidi woni o ǵabāli nǫtāde Fūta ẹ Almāmi ẹn. — Si Almāmi ɦabīla walɦamdu lillāhi, si be aǵila fǫ̃muɜu nǫ ẹ mabbe, kǫṅǫ mi yāhata. — Be woni ẹ kandāka dõ ha ǵūmaie dāri hāndu maị. — Ǵāldemabe nǫ fẹlindīra ha niānde gǫ̃ɜo ǵẹma yimbe ari be fẹli Mǫ̣di Ismaīlā mǫ Fōdueɦaǵi tǫndẹr dāka. — Dẹ niānde ǵẹma yimbe kǫ́nnuṅgu be ǵoṇẹndīri laṅǵagol. — Dẹ wétuno bimbi yimbe fǫ̃ nátani ɦǫ̃dude, be wiɜi mẹde warẹde efú. — Almāmi ẹn be māki wondude ẹ maube Futa be ǵābāli ɦaurende, — Iǫ hǫ̃de, be fǫkidi be ɜari ɦa ẹ Talikẹle be fǫ́udi. — Alfā Muɦammad imini kǫnuṅgu moɜuṅgu. — Ǐǫ ǵok be. — En dẹr tǫ Almāmi ẹng ẹ maube Futa fǫɜutīno-dõ, kǫnuṅgu ɦẹ̃utitībe, be fẹlibe be felindīri. — Almāmi ẹng wǫndude ẹ yǫga ẹ Futa be dǫki, hubūbe beǵǫki, be wari maube Timbǫ̃ ko hẹ̃wi. — Almāmi ẹn gēri nǫ be dāira be doki ha ẹ Timbǫ̃. — Bāo mumu be ǵǫkibe kadi tǫ Timbo-dõ. — Be felindīri ẹ Almāmi ẹn doki. — Almāmi Ǫ̣marū ɦamīri Kǫyi. — Almāmi Ibrahīma ɦamīri Kẹbāli. — Ǫ tawi Mǫ̣di Ibrahīma Kaba, ǫ wiɜi-mǫ Almāmi wǫn. — Kala kǫ wādaima wāda ẹn kala. — Bāo Almāmi Ibrahīma woni. Mǫ̣di Ibrahīma Kabba ǫ nuli ẹ Almāmi Ǫ̣marū ioɜar wǫda o fẹ̃ǵu Kǫyi. — Almāmi Ǫ̣marū ǫ sẹ̃ni ɦato Kebāli. — Mǫ̣di Ibrahīma Kabba ǫ wiɜi. Almāmi Ǫ̣marū wǫn. — Honde kala ko wádadaɜõn wada eṅ kala wǫda ɜõn ɦule. — Barkīdi maube mẹde nǫ lutti ẹ mẹde duāǵemabe kǫ ǵābǫtǫ̃-du. — be hautiti be wǫni-dõ; mǫ kala okara galle tǫ wǫna ha Futa fǫ̃ rẹnti ẹ Kebāli Mǫ̣di Ibrahīma Kabba no máribe-dõ. bāo Futa renti ẹ Kebāli be dūanī-mǫ be fǫti io be woni. — Be woni tǫ Kẹbāli-dõ ɦa ndūṅgu lanni. —

Fuda-fǭ renti wállidi Mǭdi Ibrahīma Kabba. ǵǫketādebe wondude ę pundi fundunǭdi Timbo. — Ha dabbi Almāmi Ǭmarū be adi-du ƙa ę Fukumba. o woni dõ (kadi). — Be nuldi ę Bā Dęmba: ę góhoño mę̀n sǫχlīri ruktāde. —

Bā-Dęmba nuldi io be múniu nǫ saṭi daño. be wonīri-nõ ƙa Futa-fǭ renti be ɜardīra ƙa ę Timbo. — Ḣaurundīri Bā Dęmba ę ƙubūbebe fęlindīri. — Allāh ǫki Bā Dęmba kutu ǫ wari kǫ hę̄wi ę mabe e Saɜidúya; ƙauri kadi konnū ƙubūbebe bonui ę Falbā be wari kǫ hę̄wi be wari hǭrę̄ǵeɜo Sātu Bantama. yimbe Falbabe be nuldīri hǭre Satu-Bantamande ƙa tǫ Almāmi. — Be wiɜi kāmbe kadi Allāh ǫkibe kutu. —

Be hautidi be mǫǵintīni gallę̄ǵemabe. Almāmi Ǭmarū māki, awa Almāmi Ibrahīma ɜaǹ luttange tǫ sāre mi rę̄nanai ƙubūbebe. ǫ ƙanimę̄diri Sokǫ́toro ǫ wadi dõ dāka ƙa ƙubūbebe ɜarui be fęlindīri. Almāmi Ǭmarū ǫ fǭlibe ǫ wari e-mabé gulūǵe tatī ę temędę ǵę̄tati ę ǵabande ǵę̄gǫ ę yimbe ǵę̄didǫ ę Kālīa. ǫ sǭni Lamīa ǫ sǭni Maundę̄a wǫndude ę ǵāe hę̄ude. — Allā itti ǵembemabe lyude dę niánde be ƙębāli ǵembe ę Almāmi. kala tǫ be ƙauri be fǭlede ƙa ǵúni. — Lā ƙaula walā guwwata illā billāhi. —

The history of the war in Futa between Alfa Muhamed Ġuhe and both the Imāms of the country Omar and Ibrahim.

The son of Alfa Omar whose is the country came to Hamd-Alah in ordre to converse with his people; they go to the town Hamdalah, they learn; the son of Alfa Omar went after his company (sc. people in his attendance), but found them not; he then rooted up cassado in a farm. —

Then the farmkeeper came and asked: who did root up the Cassado? he answered it is I. — He said what for didst thou root it up? he answered: because of my people. He asked again: Did you plant it? he answered: because of the cassado you curse me. — The farmer said: Is it not people that plant it? — They curse each other. — The people come, they fight, they cut each other. — The son of Alfa Omar goes away with his people and tells it to his father at home. He arose and came to ask what had come between them in Hamd-Allah; they meet him with war, they kill him, they take his people prisoners. — Alfa Muhamed Lamia sent to Alimāmi Omar because of the war between him and Alfa Omar. — He sent the goods (property) of Alfa Omar, which he pos-

sessed. — The Imam took the things and sent them into the country (that was Alfa Omar's). —

Alimami Omar called the Futa people because of the murder of Alfa Omar. — The whole of Futa joined the Timbo people; they are ready to go to Alfa Muhamed Lamia because Alfa Omar was killed. — Alimami Omar and Alimami Ibrahim go with all Futa and with all the chiefs of Timbo; they go till they reach the camp. — They send for Alfa Muhamed Lamia he must come; they sit down to settle the matter. — He (Muhamed Lamia) sends word; he does not wish to answer (viz: justify himself,) before the two Imams. — He said they (viz: the Imāms with the Timbo people) must not give uneasiness to the chiefs of Fuda; they (Timbo people) only make calumnies and slander (arab. خِيَانَةٌ); and he will answer neither Futa nor the Imāms. If the Imāms fight me then let the praise be God's (وَٱلْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ); but if they let me alone, then every thing is left with them, but I do not go. — They sit down in the camp from the beginning of Ramadan till to the end. — A part of them schoot each other till one day in the night the people come and shoot Mōdi Ismael from Fodue Hagi inside the camp. — That day (in the) night the war-people give the word to one another for disbanding. — By the dawn of the morning all the people are ready to go home, they say we are killed invain. — The Imams and the chiefs of Futa say they do not wish war. — Let them go. — They get ready, they come to Tallikelle and rest there. — Alfa Muhamed Lamia sent his war, his people (are told) they must follow them. — When

the Imams and the chiefs of Futa were still resting there, the war overtook them. — They shoot them, they shoot each other. — The Imāms with half of the Futa people run away; the Hubūbe (so the people of Alfa Muhamed are called) follow them; they kill many of the Timbo-chiefs. — The Imāms try to save themselves, they run till Timbo. Then they run after the Imāms till to Timbo, they shoot one another, both the Imāms run away. — Then Alimam Omar went to Koyi, — Alimami Ibrahim went to Kebāli. — He met with Mōdi Ibrahim Kabba. He said to him: Alimami remain here. — Any thing that can do for you may do for us both. — So the Imam stopt with him. Then Alimami Ibrahim sat down, and Mōdi Ibrahim Kabba sent to Alimami Omar: Come, do not go farther from Koyi. So Alimami Omar came to Kebāli. — Then Mōdi Ibrahim Kabba said: Alimami Omar stop! any thing that may do for you both, may do for us all; do not fear. — The blessings of our chiefs remain with us; their prayers he will answer; they keep together, they sit down, he gives to each of them a farm to live in it untill all Futa would have come to Kebāli. — Mōdi Ibrahim Kabba kept them there. — After this Futa comes to Kebāli, they thank him; and they agree to stop there. — They stopt in Kebāli till the rains were over. The whole of Futa had come to help Mōdi Ibrahim Kabba to provide for them (viz: the two Imāms) together with the fugitive people from Timbo. — By the harvest time Alimami Omar was brought to Fukumba and he stopt there again. — Then they send to Pa Demba to say they were quite ready to go home. — Pa Demba sent word they must keep

heart it was hard just now. — So they waited till all Futa had joined them; and now they return to Timbo. — They find Pa Demba and Hubūbe shooting one another. — God gave Pa Demba victory, he killed many from them and also Saiduya. — Again he fell in with the Hubūbe warmen, they had destroyed Falba a town, he killed many of them; Sadu Bantama their leader was also killed. —

The Falba-people send Sadu Bantama's head to the Imam. — So they said again that God gave them victory. —

They afterwards came together and attended to their farms. — Alimami Omar said: Now Alimami Ibrahim you must leave the town for us both to keep it; I shall protect it for both of us against the Hubūbe. — He then traded to Sokotoro and erected a camp there till the Hubūbe had come and they shot one another. — Alimami Omar defeated them and killed of them: 3867 men at Kalīa; he burned Lamīa he burned Maundēa with many towns. — God gave them pauver! from this day they never obtained power against the Imāms; every time they met in the field they were defeated till now. —

God alone is powerful and strong!

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